

FISCAL NOTE

SB 774 - HB 1273

February 24, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Allows a health care provider to file a written request to the Commissioner of Commerce and Insurance to submit the claim to an independent reviewer when the provider does not receive notice from a Health Maintenance Organization about the denial of the claim within 60 calendar days.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Changes made by the bill to the prompt payment statute are not estimated to result in a significant increase in state expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James A. Davenport".

James A. Davenport, Executive Director